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Enclosed herewith for filing is a patent application, as follows:

Inventor(s): Umesh Nair
Title: System for Optimizing Buffers in Integrated Circuit Design Timing Fixes
Docket No.: P8987

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10 page(s) Specification (not including Claims)
6 page(s) Claims
1 page(s) Abstract
6 sheet(s) of Drawings
2 page(s) Declaration For Patent Application and Power of Attorney
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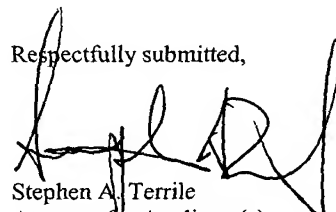
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